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CAP Committee Reviews Concepts at City Council Workshop

Forward New Richmond, the Community Action Plan (CAP) committee formed to assist the City of New Richmond with the updating of its comprehensive plan, have been busy sifting through city materials, specific subcommittee Work Plans, and internet research to generate potential concepts and opportunities to make New Richmond an even better place to live, work and own a business.

On Saturday, January 13th at 8:30 am, members of the CAP committee will preview many of the concepts and projects they have developed during a workshop with the City Council. The workshop provides council members the first glimpse of their work and to discuss their recommendations in greater detail. This session will be at City Hall and is open to the public.

Since fall of last year the committee of New Richmond residents, businesses, commercial property owners, and community organizations, have been developing presentations illustrating their ideas and potential locations of new amenities and improvements. Each subcommittee is also developing Project Portfolios for each of their community project recommendations. These Portfolios offer more research, details and insight not covered in their presentations.

"We are very impressed with our committees and their dedication to this process, their creativity in developing fresh ideas, and their ability to bring them to life through their presentations and Project Portfolios," comments Beth Thompson, community development director.

Forward New Richmond members are preparing their projects and presentations for a series of input sessions. The CAP committee will host a Community Open House scheduled for early February and the community is encouraged to attend and learn more about their CAP work and resulting project recommendations.

For additional CAP information and potential project involvement, interested individuals, businesses and organizations are encouraged to contact Beth Thompson, phone: 715-243-0402, email: bthompson@newrichmondwi.gov.

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